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PATENT APPLICATION
Docket No. 14185.6.1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Richard C. Holz)
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Serial No.:	10/786,240)
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Confirmation No.:	2692)
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Filed:	February 25, 2004)
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Title:	TYPE-1 METHIONYL AMINOPEPTIDASES)
	INHIBITORS IN ANTI-MICROBIAL)
	TARGETING)
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Customer No.:	022913)

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated November 15, 2005, Applicant respectfully submits the following to be filed in the above-identified application.

The Examiner has requested an election of one of the following groups:

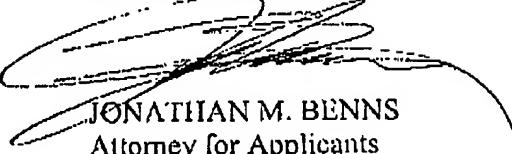
- I. Products for treating bacterial infections and capable of altering an aspect of Type-I MetAp activity, classified in various subclasses of classes 514, 548 and 564; and
- II. Method of providing a dosage of an antibacterial compound to a subject in need to inhibit Type-I MetAP activity, classified in various subclasses of class 514.

Accordingly, Applicant elects Group I, which relates to products for treating bacterial infections and capable of altering an aspect of Type-I MetAp without. Claims 1-6, 8-12, and 14-18 read on the elected subject matter (*i.e.*, Group I), while claims 7, 13, 19 and 20-25 are withdrawn from consideration at this time as being drawn to non-elected subject matter. Nevertheless, Applicants respectfully request rejoinder of one or more of the non-elected claims upon the allowance of a generic or linking claim.

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Dated this 13 day of January 2006.

Respectfully submitted,


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